

CURRICULUM VITAE

Luke Hendryx

**Agriculture and Natural Resource Extension Agent – Brewster and Jeff Davis Counties,
Far West Texas, District 6**

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: Luke Hendryx

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VISION:

To utilize my work ethic, integrity, education, and past experiences in the effort to educate both current and future generations of agricultural professionals utilizing a multi-faceted approach. As a strong advocate of lifelong learning, I believe that the constant pursuit of innovative practices in agriculture and natural resource management is critical for success of all agricultural operations. As agricultural producers face a rapidly changing industry, it is paramount that all aspects of agricultural operations are maximized for both efficiency and sustainability, thus making effective education and preparation of both future and current agricultural professionals paramount.

EDUCATION:

2007-2012 Sul Ross State University

Received a Bachelor of Science degree in Animal Science with an emphasis in Animal Production.

2022-2024 Texas A&M University

Received Master of Agriculture Degree with an emphasis in Agricultural Development.

Received a Certificate in Leadership, Education, and Communication.

Received a Certificate in Extension Education.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

2021 – Present: Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service – Alpine, Texas

Currently serve as County Extension Agent – Ag and Natural Resources for Brewster and Jeff Davis Counties, County Coordinator, and 4H Coordinator. Major program areas include beef cattle production, range management, and youth livestock programs.

January 2025 – Present: Sul Ross State University – Alpine, Texas

Part-Time Lecturer – Agriculture and Industry.

Honors and Appointments:

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Early Career Agent Award – District 6

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension New Agent Award – District 6

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Rising Star Award – District 6

Making a Difference Team Award – Sandhills Beef Cattle Conference

Extension Activities:

2022- Presenter at annual meeting of Davis Mountain – Trans Pecos Heritage Association meeting.

2022 – Presenter – Monthly meeting of West of the Pecos Cattlewomen

2022- AgriLife representative for Borderlands Research Institute Conservation Conference

2023 – Presenter – Sandhills Beef Cattle Conference

2023 – Presenter – Brewster County Groundwater Conservation Board meeting

2023- Agent facilitated the Texas A&M AgriLife Horticulture retreat

2023- Presenter at meeting of Alpine Kiwanis Club

2024 – Presenter at meeting of Big Bend Sportsman’s Club

Educational Programs Developed or Delivered:

2021 – TWON Well Informed Program

2021 – Kids, Kows, and More

2022 – Big Bend Feral Hog Management Workshop

2022- Big Bend Border Security and Beef Cattle Seminar

2022 – Kids, Kows, and More

2023 – Three sessions of Big Bend Beef 706

2023 – Kids, Kows, and More

2023 – Ag Literacy – Hatching In The Classroom

2024 – Far West Texas Landowner Seminar

2024 – TWON Well Educated Program

2024 – Kids, Kows, and More

2024 – Far West Texas Private Applicator Training

2024 – Ag Literacy – Hatching in The Classroom

2024 – Superintendent of SRSU/ District 6 Invitational Horse judging

2021- Present – Advisor – Big Bend Livestock Show Association

Newsletters:

Monthly 4H Newsletters.

Quarterly West Texas Farm and Ranch Newsletter contributor.

Mass Media:

Monthly Op-Ed articles in the Alpine Avalanche, Davis Mountain Dispatch, and Big Bend Times.

Professional Development:

2022- District 6 TCAAA Alternate Director appointment

2024 - District 6 TCAAA Director appointment

2024 - Accepted into S.A.L.E. Leadership Extension Program

Committees:

West Region Livestock and Range Initiative Committee

AgriLife Extension New/Small Acreage Landowner Initiative Committee

Texas 4H Horseshow Committee

District 6 4H Program Development Committee

NACAA Financial Committee

Joint AgriLife Extension/ BRI Range Specialist search committee

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension District 6 Strike Team member